

## Proposed Bill No. 279

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LCO No. 1116

Referred to Committee on General Law

Introduced by: SEN. HARP, 10th Dist.

## AN ACT CONCERNING ACCESS TO CONSUMER CREDIT RECORDS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 To amend the general statutes to allow a consumer to contact a
- 2 credit reporting agency, in writing, and request that the consumer's
- 3 credit records be blocked from any future inquiries, to require the
- 4 credit agency to freeze the consumer's credit records not later than five
- 5 days after receipt of the request and to issue the consumer a personal
- 6 identification number not later than ten days after freezing the
- 7 consumer's credit records.

## Statement of Purpose:

To prevent identity theft by controlling access to consumer credit records.